5-21-2023 - The Ascension

Luke 24:45–53

Acts 1:1–11

Why the Ascension Matters:

#1. The disciples were eye-witnesses of yet another divine event and it had a visible effect on the disciples.

#2. Gave the disciples purpose!

Mark 16:19

Psalm 110:1

Daniel 7:13–14

Matthew 28:18

#3. Jesus' mission was completed and he returned to his rightful place of honor and glory

#4. Defines our identity and position

Ephesians 2:6

#5. Reminds us of His promised eventual return!

1 Thessalonians 4:16–17

Philippians 2:10–11